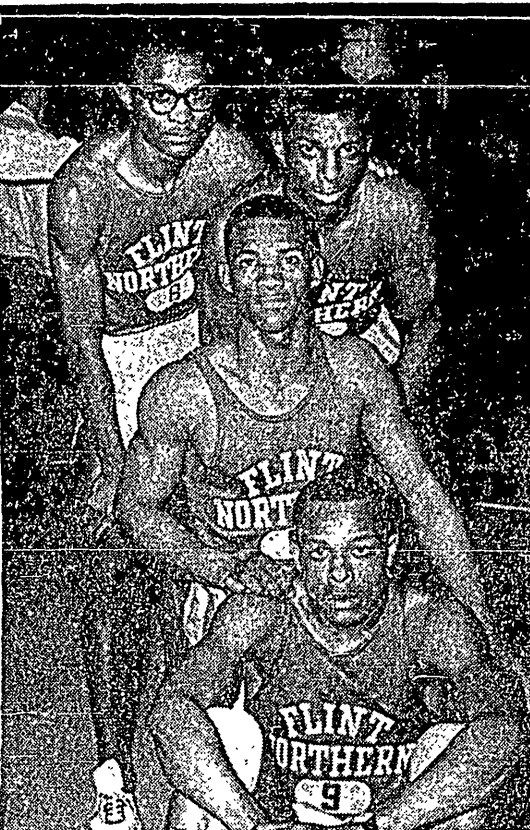


McGee, Edwards Engineer Northern Track Victory



RECORD UNIT—These Northern High trackmen (top to bottom) Hue Edwards, Ed Johnson, Dalton Kimble and Dennis McGee, were timed in 1:15.6 for a four-lap record in the Saginaw-Arthur Hill invitational track meet Friday night at Mount Pleasant. Northern set two marks and tied another en route to the team title. (Journal Photo)

By LEN HOYES
Journal Sports Writer
MOUNT PLEASANT — Dennis McGee and Hue Edwards hot footed Flint Northern High to four records and a come-from-behind team victory Friday night in the 10th Saginaw-Arthur Hill Invitational Track Meet at Central Michigan University's field house. McGee set one mark and equaled another, Edwards cracked one record and both ran on a victorious relay unit to account for almost half the Vikings' points in a tight duel with Muskegon High. Northern totaled 36 points to the Big Reds' 33 4-5. McGee skinned the 65-yard low hurdles in 7.2 seconds to break a two-year-old mark and zipped the 60-yard dash in 6.3 seconds to equal a record shared by five others.

Edwards' 52.4 seconds clocking in the 440-yard dash chopped eight-tenths of a second off a seven-year-old record. McGee led off and Edwards anchored the four-lap relay team whose time of 1:15.6 also wiped out a seven-year-old mark. Ed Johnson and Dalton Kimble were the middle men on the unit which clipped four-tenths of a second off the record for 704 yards. Flint Central claimed two individual victories. Bob Deneen took the mile in 4:40.3 and John Shaw captured the 880-yard run in 2:05.3.

Muskegon which was blanked in that event.

Flint Central finished sixth with 14 points but was deprived of four additional points and fifth place by the weird relay scramble.

Central was one of six participants in the first heat of the 1 1/2-mile medley. A Muskegon runner was lapped and, instead of leaving the track as instructed, the lap judge became confused. Ben Cooper, running the 880-yard anchor leg for Central, raced into first place in the last 60 yards. Just as Cooper was finishing what he figured was the last lap, Referee-Starter Dave Beauvais' gun fired to indicate one lap to go. Cooper stopped and before he could regain stride, Pontiac raced to an apparent heat victory.

It suddenly became evident that the anchor men had run one lap (176 yards) too many. And because the race was divided into two heats, there was considerable consternation among the officials.

One by one they ticked off suggestions: (1) declare the heats individual races and award points for each (2) toss out the race entirely (3) run it over and (4) arbitrarily place Central and Pontiac in the final standings.

Every time a new suggestion was offered a coach would protest. Prominent in the protests was, "I'll call Charlie Forsythe (Michigan High School Athletic Association director) right now if you decide it that way." After waiting almost two hours and poring over the rule book, it was decided to permit Central and Pontiac—the two injured parties—to come to Mount Pleasant next week and run their heat over. Hence, any points in the

event would have to wait. However, after the last race was completed, Northern had clinched the title. Coach Norbert Badar's team—second in its heat of the medley—couldn't drop lower than fourth no matter what Central and Pontiac did, and was guaranteed at least two points. Since the team crown was settled, Central Coach Carl Krieger and Pontiac Coach Dean Wilson decided not to renew their options to run next week.

In the final analysis, Northern came off with the lowest winning total and second smallest margin of victory in the 10-year history of the event and earned its fourth team championship. The result pushed the Vikings into a prominent spot as far as favorites for the outdoor title are concerned. Seven of nine previous winners here went on to the state championship.

However, Muskegon, the first non-Saginaw Valley Conference member to finish higher than third place in this meet, indicated state championship potential. It scored 16 points in the first two events and led Northern by 14 at that stage.

But Northern's depth picked up points in nine of the 12 events to offset Muskegon's sprint-broad jump strength. It scored in all but the shot put, pole vault and mile.

Although Pontiac Central's Bredell Pritchett set a record with a 57.9 shot put, the Chiefs' dropped to fourth place, their lowest finish in this meet's history. Saginaw was third with 22 1-10 points and Pontiac totaled 18 1/2.

Traverse City was fifth with 15 1/2. After Central came Mount Pleasant 12, Arthur Hill 10, Lan-

sing Eastern 7 1/2, Bay City Central 6 3-5, Midland 4 and Bay City Handy scoreless.

The summary:
Broad jump — 1. Gene Roberts (Muskegon) 2. Dick McCauley (Pontiac) 3. Sam Moore (Muskegon) 4. Spurgeon Coleman (Central) 5. Willie Dent (Northern) 62-8.
65 high hurdles — 1. Bob Green (Muskegon) 2. Jerry Tillman (Saginaw) 3. Ruben Mitchell (Muskegon) 4. Scott Hummel (Traverse City) 5. Warren Buchanan (Northern) 7:3.0.
440 dash — 1. Hue Edwards (Northern) 2. Leroy Branch (Saginaw) 3. Paul Nelson (Mount Pleasant) 4. Tom Hardy (Bay City Central) 5. William Campbell (Pontiac) 7:52.4. (Breaks meet record of 53.2 by Marvin Pierce, Saginaw, 1954)

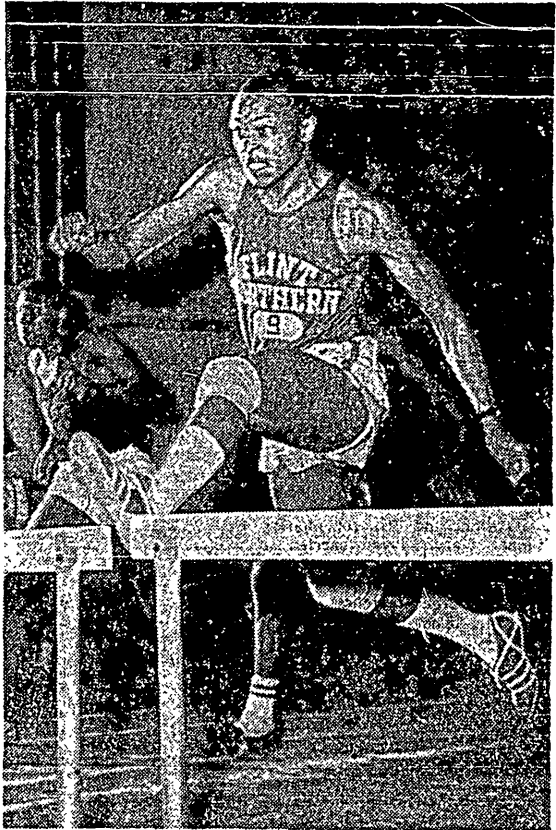
60 dash — 1. Dennis McGee (Northern) 2. Charles Hostatler (Mount Pleasant) 3. Dalton Kimble (Northern) 4. McCauley (Pontiac) 5. Pat Williams (Saginaw) 7:3. (Equal meet record by Leon Burton, Northern, in 1953 and equaled four times since then)

Pole vault — 1. Six-way tie between Stan Claycomb (Traverse City), Jim Dickey (Lansing Eastern), Mike Pedler (Muskegon), John Ferguson (Saginaw), John Stewart (Pontiac) and Mickey Pickett (Muskegon) 11-6.
Shot put — 1. Bredell Pritchett (Pontiac) 2. Tom Janson (Midland) 3. George Boehm (Traverse City) 4. Rick Crap (Bay City Central) 5. Nelson (Mount Pleasant) 57.9. (Breaks meet record of 56.8 by Pritchett, 1960)

Mile run — 1. Bob Deneen (Central) 2. Vaughn Goodnow (Arthur Hill) 3. Paul Steusel (Traverse City) 4. Roger Hamel (Muskegon) 5. Ed Bagley (Central) 4:40.3.
65 low hurdles — 1. McGee (Northern) 2. El Hinton (Saginaw) 3. Green (Muskegon) 4. Mitchell (Muskegon) 5. Marvin Mabry (Central) 7:2. (Breaks meet record of 7.9 by Nelson Smith, Bay City Central, 1959 and equaled by Joe Mason, Arthur Hill, 1960)

High jump — 1. Three-way tie between Al Washington (Northern), Fran Scott (Saginaw) and Hummel (Traverse City). Five-way tie between Willie Germain (Muskegon), Ben Strong (Muskegon), Mitchell (Muskegon), Woodrow Kelum (Saginaw) and Mitch. Simmons (Bay City Central) 6-6.
880 run — 1. John Shaw (Central) 2. Les Sponseller (Mount Pleasant) 3. Charles Moore (Northern) 4. Bill Brinn (Bay City Central) 5. Willie Peck (Pontiac) 2:05.3.
4-lap relay — (704 yards) — 1. Northern (McGee, Kimble, Ed Johnson, Edwards) 2. Muskegon 3. Pontiac 4. Lansing Eastern 5. Arthur Hill 7:15.6. (Breaks meet record of 1:18.0 by Saginaw, 1954)

Medley relay — (1 1/2 miles) — 1. Arthur Hill (Jerry Calkins, Wally Parrish, Tom Jacob, Fran McDougall) 2. Northern (Anderson Johnson, Ed Johnson, Dent, Nell Patterson) 3. Lansing Eastern 4. Saginaw 5. Traverse City 7:6.04.3.
Team scoring — Northern 36, Muskegon 33, four-fifths Saginaw 29, one-tenth Pontiac 18 1/2, Traverse City 15 1/2, Central 14, Mount Pleasant 12, Arthur Hill 10, Lansing Eastern 7 1/2, Bay City Central 6 three-fifths, Midland 4 and Bay City Handy scoreless.



MERCURY IN MOTION—Dennis McGee of Northern High skims the final hurdle with the lead to himself en route to a record victory in the 65-yard low hurdles Friday night at Mount Pleasant. He was timed in 7.2 seconds in the Saginaw-Arthur Hill invitational meet. McGee also won the 60-yard dash and ran on a record-setting relay team as Northern captured the team title for the first time in three years. (Journal Photo by Barry Edmonds)

Tigers Defeated, Then Head Home

LAKELAND, Fla. (AP) — The Detroit Tigers broke spring camp today and headed home for a new season with a bitter old slogan—"Don't Knock the Rock." The Tigers, in their last game at Lakeland, looked just like the Tigers of 1960 when they limped home sixth. And Rocky Colavito still was leaving runners stranded in scoring position.

The Minnesota Twins—the former Washington Senators who drove the Tigers frantic last season — blanked them 1-0 in the Lakeland finale Friday.

Camilo Pascual allowed the Tigers only five hits over eight innings before yielding to rookie Bill Plies in the ninth. Plies needed only three pitches to retire the Tigers in their final turn at bat.

Three times Colavito came to bat with a runner on third. Each time he failed, twice chasing strikes by Pascual.

Detroit plays the Kansas City Athletics at Jacksonville, Fla., Sunday before flying the rest of the way home.

Don Mossie pitched four shutout innings and Hank Aguirre hurled three more.

Rookie Jim Donohue yielded the lone run in the eighth. It came in on Harmon Killebrew's sacrifice fly—the same type of ball Colavito needed to get a run home twice earlier.

The Tigers, meanwhile, did some switching on their roster. Pitcher Gordon Seyfried and outfielder George Alusik were sent to the Denver farm club. Outfielder Bubba Morton and pitcher Bill Fishcher were brought up to the Tigers from Denver.

Manager Bob Scheffing spoke to reliever Ray Narleski, who last week quit the club in a huff when not promised to Detroit contract. Scheffing said he told Narleski, idled all last season with a bad back, to try to work himself back into form at Denver. Narleski had quit when the Tigers refused to give him a major league contract.

Narleski said Friday night at his Haddonfield, N.J., home that he was turning down Scheffing's latest plea.

"I made up my mind that I had to come through this year," the 32-year-old right hander said. "I'm not getting any younger and I don't want to be in the minors."

"If I don't play this year I believe I'm finished with baseball. I won't go to Denver, so I'll just have to accept the fact."

699 Series Causes ABC Big Headache

DETROIT (AP) — Because he rolled a hefty 699 series, Friday night, veteran Paul Krumbske may have given the American Bowling Congress its first big headache.

Thanks to his 247-205-247 contribution, the Mont Clare Pontiac team of Chicago took fourth place in the regular team division. The team totaled 3,012, placing it 15 pins behind leading Stu's Drive In of Urbana, Ohio.

Why Krumbske, a top-ranking



Edwards . . . 440 Record

Hartwick's 608 Tops for Flint

Special to The Journal

DETROIT — Sherman Hartwick (608) and Gerald DePottey (579) of Crestwood Memorial Gardens paced a Flint delegation in the American Bowling Congress Tournament Friday with an 1187 2-



Bob Deneen . . . Central Miller Triumphs in 4:04.3



Shaw . . . Victory in 880

Ed Saucedo Wins AAU Boxing Bout

POCATELLO, Idaho (AP)—Jim Morton of Madison, Wis., and Worthy Marcus of Pocatello scored impressive victories in the 132-pound division of the National

Hawks Aim to End 23-Year Famine

By DAVE DILES
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DETROIT (AP)—The Chicago Black Hawks, who have gone longer without winning the Stanley Cup than any other team in the National Hockey League, take a one-game lead into the second game of the 1961 Cup finals tonight against the Detroit Red Wings.

Not since Bill Stewart's 1938 team have the Hawks won Hockey's most coveted prize, and to end the 23-year famine Chicago must defeat a team accustomed to playoff pressure.

The Hawks have made the playoffs only four times in the last 15 years. In that same span, Detroit has missed the playoffs only once. It has been 17 years since Chicago competed in the finals. Eight times in that stretch Detroit has been in the final round.

Scoring all three of their goals inside the first 14 minutes of play, the Hawks captured a 3-2 decision in the series opener in Chicago

Thursday night. Detroit's Olympia Stadium will be the site of the second game in the best-of-7 showdown.

The Red Wings need every bit of the edge their playoff experience might give them if they are to square the series before the third game back in Chicago Monday night. They will be playing without two of their blue-chip performers, goalie Terry Sawchuk and defenseman Marcel Pronovost.

A shoulder injury to Sawchuk and foot bruise to Pronovost forced both players to the sidelines during the opening game. Hank Badden will replace Sawchuk in goal at least for tonight's game. The Wings called up Lou Marcon from their Edmundton farm club to help with the defensive work.

Coach Sid Abel is encouraged over Detroit's chances, despite the injuries.

"They nearly ran us off the ice in the first period in Chicago but we fought back when a team with fewer guts might have folded," said the former Red Wing great who put his team back into the Stanley Cup picture in his third full season as coach.

"Our players were far from gloomy after that loss, and I think coming back as well as we did may have given us a real lift for the rest of the series."

Whittier Cops Swimming Title

Bob Graham and Gary Ambrose of Emerton each won two events but Whittier had the depth which earned the title in the 17th annual junior high swimming meets Friday at Southwestern High's pool.

Whittier collected 64 points. McKinley was runner-up with 53 followed by Emerton 45, Longfellow 28, Lowell 27 and Zimmerman 23. Bryant was scoreless.

Whittier's first place came in the free style relay, Tom Bottrell's

Moyer Hopes To Even Score In 10-Rounder

NEW YORK (AP)—Denny Moyer, a baby-faced boxer from Port-